# THE DAILY PROGRESS.

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BY J. L. PENNINGTON & CO.

## THE CITY.

FASHION GOSSIP—INTERESTING TO THE LADIES.—Each season—we might almost say each month—witnesses marked and important changes in the world of fashion. Amongst the most important news (to the ladies) received each week from Europe—from Paris especially—is the news of the fashions. Paris is the great centre of fashion, and the civilized world revolves around it. It rules and rules with an irresistible rod. Among the latest fashions introduced there, and one which devotees of the art will be sorry to see, is an very decided attempt to abolish train skirts and introduce in their places short peasant skirts, reaching to some inches above the ankle. This announcement will strike dismay to the heart of every lady who does not rejoice in such pedal extremities as raised Cinderella to a throne; while those fair dames and maidens blessed with a pair of twin, well turned ankles will hail with delight a fashion calculated to display them to the best advantage. But how many of the *spirituelle* beauties, beautiful in feature, exquisite in form, and graceful in gait, can boast Cinderella's feet and ankles.

The old-time fashion of silk skirts opening over white muslin or satin petticoats is again coming in vogue. The following will serve as a model:

A pale, mauve silk skirt, opened at each breadth, from the bottom to about a quarter of a yard up the skirt; straps of white or other contrasting silk are used to hold them together over the underskirt, and a tassel corresponding in color is sewn at each end of the strap. The bodice is made of the same material as the underskirt, with a corselet of silk to match the dress skirt worn over it, and laced with cord corresponding in color with the straps on the skirt.

We learn that the newest thing in that ever-varying covering for the head is known as the lozenge bonnet. It is made either of rice or Belgian straw, and describes a lozenge on the head, confining five smaller ones, which are made of either pink or lilac ribbons. Ribbon lozenges arranged all around the front of the bonnet have a curious and remarkable effect; others have tiny flowers, instead of ribbon, similarly arranged. Bonnets entirely covered with flowers are in high favor, and that style has already been adopted here. For instance, the following unique and pretty bonnet which we saw this week has been greatly admired: The shape covered with a light puffing of white silk tulle, and completely overlaid with lilac-colored harebells and sprigs of sharp, spear-like grasses; at the back a mass of harebells and grasses are arranged in such a manner as to fall over the hair and serve the purpose of a hair ornament.—Long tulle veils should be worn with these bonnets and have a very pretty effect floating downward over lace, and curls, and flowers.

THE LATE GOVERNMENT SALE.—At the sale of property last Wednesday and Thursday, by Capt. Garoutte, A. Q. M., at the Baptist Grove in this City, the bidding was active and the sale footed up a handsome sum. Below we print a list of the articles disposed of and the aggregate prices:

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| 89 Horses, | $949.00 |
| 12 Mules, | 143.50 |
| 10 Two-Horse wagons, | 654.00 |
| 4 Army Wagons, | 360.00 |
| 4 Wagon covers, | 36.00 |
| 4 Feed Boxes, | 4.00 |
| 44 setts Wheel Harness, | 543.00 |
| 16 setts Lead Harness, | 178.00 |
| 15 Pair Check lines, | 34.00 |
| 24 Wagon Saddles, | 108.00 |
| 4 Riding Saddles, | 16.50 |
| 2 Blind Bridles, | 5.00 |
| 1 Lead Band, | 5.00 |
| 2 Horse Collars, | 5.00 |
| 3 Head Halters, | 12.00 |
| Total, | $15,399.00 |

SCALS IN THE COUNTRY.—The subterfuges of e are almost endless. We hear that one of the es hereabout is that of a party of men who are ng the surrounding country, representing elves as agents of the United States, and upon plea that the government needs them are back the horses and mules heretofore lent We are authorized to say that there are agents,—that the animals and the duplicate receipts in the hands of the borrowers are not given to such swindlers—and that the proper thorities are already after the pretended officers with a sharp stick. Capt. Barrett, the Provost Marshal at this point, is on the *qui vive* and display his usual energy to ferret out the villains and bring them to punishment. Let the country people in the meantime beware of these unconstituted custodians of the interests of the ited States.

RESTORE THE BENCHES.—A gentleman who is not deficient of judgment in matters of taste and comfort wishes us to suggest that the military, city or state authorities restore the benches in the capitol square, immediately in front of the state house, on each side of the statue. We chime in with the suggestion. Until ruthless war swept over the face of the land, they had been there for years and—as a very respectable loafer says—formed most pleasant seats for quiet loungers during the afternoon and evening. The class to which loafer belongs are most eager for the improvement and the hotel keepers will probably endorse the request as their chairs are kept in constant use by the aforesaid race.

STILL BURNING.—It will be esteemed rather fishy we presume, when we say that the fire kindled by Wheeler's Cavalry on the evacuation of Raleigh, and by which the Central Railroad depot was burned, was discovered last Saturday to be still burning beneath the surface of the earth. It is nevertheless a verity and the mass was so hot at that time as to make it impossible for barefooted men to walk over it without experiencing pain. If any one questions the truth of this representation, we refer them to gentlemen connected with the transportation office at that point.

QUARTERMASTERY IN RALEIGH.—There are such things in every community as constitutional croakers and we have them here in superabundance. They murmur at all things and under all circumstances. But there is one department against the management of which even fault-finders can scarcely complain. We refer to that of Capt. Garoutte, chief quartermaster of this post. In our look around the city yesterday, we made it a specialty to inspect the corrals, shops, etc., etc., which are under his control and the examination satisfied us as to the large intelligence of this community to the government and its agents for the great change which has manifested to its inhabitants. But we refer particularly to the quartermastery of Capt. Garoutte and so far as relates to matters sanitary, we hope the citizens will take lessons from him. The police regulations are so thorough as to forbid even from the stablerics any of those offensive odors which one so frequently encounters from private premises in the very heart of the city. With thousands of horses, wagons, mules and a large body of men under his control, and occupanying many acres of land, we found at every point where he had authority the most scrupulous cleanliness. We defy the oldest and most virulent croakers—those men who scent contagion in the rose and see calamity in sunshine—to show about any branch of his department, as now located, any feature in the least obnoxious to health. Some points of occupancy, and we instance the Baptist Grove, are in better sanitary condition than we have ever known them, and the comparison will probably hold good throughout.

But the system he has inspired among his subordinates and which is enforced by personal supervision, is as admirable as possible. The government property is stored according to article in the most perfect order—kept in a style which prevents waste—and in all aspects assures the interest of his government. It is highly complimentary to the sagacity of Major Gen. Ruger that he should have selected Capt Garoutte for the responsibilities of the post he occupies; and the work he performs well demonstrates that he has energy and capabity of the first water.

We say this much in the hope that the government at Washington may have knowledge of his fidelity to its interests, and the departmental and post commandants of the full appreciation he enjoys in the estimation of our citizens. We have in view, too, the crushing out of miserable fault-finders—a venerable but dyspeptic clan whose only merit is their discontent with everything and everybody but themselves. We think the best way to throttle the malcontents is to let them alone and pay no attention to their complaints. We insist that respectful and just complaints shall be heard by the military as well as civil authority and we believe it will be done; but it is equally proper and important to discard the querulous fel-

THE DINNER TO OUR RETURNED BOYS.—We learn the following gentlemen have been suggested as the committee to make arrangements for the contemplated dinner and welcome home of the brave boys from this county:

For the City—W. H. High, J. J. Ferrell, Jas. A. Moore, P. F. Pescud, J. Q. DeCarteret, C. H. Thompson, John W. Harrison and Wm. Simpson.

For the County—Willie D. Jones, Fab. J. Perry, G. W. Crocker, Rufus Jones.

Many of our worthy citizens in the country have signified a cheerful willingness to give liberally, and we doubt not that the dinner will be one that will reflect honor on the country at large. The committee are respectfully requested to meet this afternoon, at the courthouse, at 6 o'clock.

THE TRIAL.—The trial of a Mr. Markham, upon the charge of killing a negro, has been progressing in the city for some days past. The military commission have succeeded, we understand, in receiving all the testimony and the arguments will probably be heard to-day. The defence is in the hands of Kemp Battle, Esq., and we may be able to present the particulars in our next.

CLOSED UP.—It is stated to us that the store in the house formerly occupied as the "State Journal" office, was closed by the provost marshal, Saturday, upon the charge of vending the ardent. So the good work progresses—keep the ball in motion.

See new advertisements in this morning's paper, among them that of Gen. O. O. Howard.

### CARD—LAND AGENCY.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING HERETOFORE announced a "General Intelligence and Land Agency," in the city of Raleigh, to commence operations on the 1st inst., have since determined to confine their business to the counties of Wake, Granville and Franklin, in connection with the "N. C. Land Agency" of Messrs. Battle, Heck & Co. We find that we will be unable to give our personal attention to a more extended business of this particular character.

We have a general knowledge of the Lands in the above mentioned counties, and a personal acquaintance with most of the desirable tracts.

Land owners, &c., in either of the aforesaid counties, desiring to sell or to gain further information as to the objects of the Agency, will please address us at Raleigh. Meanwhile, attention is directed to the prospectus of Battle, Heck & Co., published in the various papers of the State. RICHARDSON & MILLER.

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### BUGGY WANTED.

WANTED TO PURCHASE, A SECOND-HAND Buggy—one with top preferred. Any one having one to sell will please make it known at

jy 26-3t PROGRESS OFFICE.

### NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO THE FIRM OF W. E. Richardson & Co., or to W. E. Richardson individually, prior to the suspension of the rebellion, are requested to come forward and settle according to rated of gold at the time of the transactions.

Those unable to pay cash will confer a favor by giving their notes accordingly to the rates above stated.

jy 29-tf W. E. RICHARDSON.


NEWBERN ADVERTISEMENTS.

J. E. LAFFITY,
SOUTH FRONT STREET,
Newbern, N. C.,
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALER IN
FAMILY GROCERIES, DOMESTIC, RUM, SNUFF, CUTLERY, CROCKERY, LIQUORS, &c.

I am receiving the above articles from by Steamers from New York and Baltimore.

GIVE ME A CALL.

jy 14-3m

LEOPOLD BAER,
MIDDLE STREET,
(BETWEEN POLLOCK AND BROAD,)
NEWBERN, N. C.,
Keeps constantly on hand one of the largest stocks of DRY GOODS, CLOTHING, BOOTS AND SHOES, GROCERIES, &c., at
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL,
to suit in North Carolina.

He has just moved to his large and commodious
NEW STORE,
where his immense stock can be displayed to advantage; and he invites his old customers and the public to give him a call. jy 14-1m

H. & B. EMANUEL,
MIDDLE STREET,
(BETWEEN POLLOCK AND BROAD,)
NEWBERN, N. C.,
HAVE IN STORE AND KEEP CONSTANTLY on hand, at wholesale and retail, a large and well-selected stock of
DRY GOODS,
BOOTS AND SHOES,
CLOTHING,
LADIES HATS and BONNETS,
GROCERIES,
&c., &c.,
which they offer to the citizens of Newbern, and of North Carolina at the lowest cash prices.

They offer to country merchants superior advantages to any house in Newbern, and they invite all who wish to purchase to give their stock a careful examination.

jy 15 3tawlm

C. W. ROSE & CO.,
WHOLESALE DEALERS IN
WINES, LIQUORS, TEAS, COFFEE, SUGAR, ASSORTED GROCERIES, FISH AND PROVISIONS,
CRAVEN STREET,
(BETWEEN SOUTH FRONT AND POLLOCK,)
Newbern, N. C.

Merchants and Traders sending orders to be shipped by express, will have them promptly filled at a slight advance on New York prices. jy-17-3m

HOUGH & CO.,
(Late W. C. Hamilton & Co.,)
Corner South Front and Middle Streets,
Newbern, N. C.
WHOLESALE
DEALERS IN
GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, CROCKERY, FURNITURE AND HARDWARE.

jy 14-6m

Leland, Biglow & Co.,
COMMISSION
—AND—
FORWARDING MERCHANTS,
—AND—
Cotton Factors,
AND DEALERS IN
BAGGING, ROPE, TWINE
AND OTHER GOODS SUITABLE FOR
COTTON PLANTERS,
POLLOCK STREET,
(Near East Front St.,)
NEWBERN, N. C.

jy 14-tiaw

NOTICE TO COTTON PLANTERS.
NEWBERN STEAM
COTTON GIN COMPANY.

THIS COMPANY HAVING MADE LARGE ADditions to their works and erected large Warehouses, are prepared to Gin, Press, Bale and Store Cotton on very favorable terms the coming season, and would call the attention of cotton growers to the fact that in consequence of the low price of cotton, our prices will be greatly reduced from those of last season, and they will find it for their interest to give us a call. We would respectfully solicit their patronage.

LELAND, BIGLOW & CO.,
Corner Pollock and East Front Sts.,
jy 14-tiaw Newbern, N. C.

WILLIAM H. OLIVER & CO.,
COMMISSION,
Receiving & Forwarding Merchants,
NEWBERN, N. C.

HAVING RESUMED BUSINESS AT THE OLD stand, will give strict personal attention to the sale or shipment of
Cotton, Naval Stores, Salt, Flour, Meal and Sundries, Fish, Dried Fruits, &c.
ALSO, TO RECEIVING AND FORWARDING GOODS
Regular lines of Steamers and sailing vessels to New York, Philadelphia and Baltimore.

T. J. HUSKINS, Newbern.
G. W. DILL, Morehead City.
jy 8-tf

REAL ESTATE AGENCY.
Newbern, N. C.
WILLIAM H. OLIVER & CO.
WILL GIVE STRICT ATTENTION TO THE SELLing or leasing of every description of Real Estate. Persons in any portion of North Carolina having Farming or Turpentine Lands, Coal Field or Oil Lands, Mineral or Ore Lands, Town or City Property, which they wish to dispose of, will find it to their interest to correspond with us. jy 8-1m

D. T. CASEAWAY,
Hart & Lewis,
Manufacturers and Dealers in
TIN AND SHEET IRON WARE, HARDWARE, Hollowware, Crockery and Glassware, Table and Pocket Cutlery, Carpet Chains, Lamps, Lamp Burners, Oil, &c.
Fayetteville Street, Raleigh, N. C.
jy 24-3m

Real Estate Agency
NEWBERN, N. C.
WILLIAM H. OLIVER & CO.

PERSONS WISHING TO PURCHASE OR LEASE Farming or Turpentine Lands, Coal Fields or Oil Lands, Mineral or Ore Lands, City or Town Property, in any portion of North Carolina, will find it to their interest to correspond with us. jy 8-1m

HUGHES & DILL,
Commission & Shipping Merchants,
Newbern, N. C.

CONSIGNMENTS OF COTTON, NAVAL STORES and Tobacco, will have our prompt attention.

Agents for Murray's line of Steamships to New York, and sailing vessels for Baltimore and Philadelphia.

T. J. HUSKINS, Newbern. G. W. DILL, Morehead City.
jy 8-tf

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Borland, Biglow & Co.,
COMMISSION MERCHANTS
IMPORTERS AND DEALERS IN
BAGS & BAGGING,
NO. 7 BEAVER STREET,
NEW YORK.

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Liberal CASH ADVANCES made on consignments of COTTON, NAVAL STORES and other MERCHANDISE to the above House, by

LELAND, BIGLOW & CO.,
POLLOCK ST., NEAR EAST FRONT ST.,
NEWBERN, N. C.
jy 14-tiaw

AUCTION SALES
OF
GOVERNMENT PROPERTY
IN THE
STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA.

AUCTION SALES OF WAGONS, MULES, ARMY Wagons, Spring Wagons, Harness and other government property will take place from time to time at the principal cities and towns in the State.

These sales will afford farmers excellent opportunities to stock their farms with any class of animals they desire to purchase.

Each sale will embrace a variety of stock, including riding and draught Horses and Mules of every class. A few very large Mules, thoroughly broken to harness, and in fine condition, will be offered at each sale.

The attention of cotton and tobacco planters is particularly called to the opportunities here presented for profitable investment. Stock purchased for cash at these sales may be sold on credit, with ample security, at a large advance, to farmers who are depending on their growing crops for means to purchase—or may be retained, and sold for cash at a large profit after the crops have matured.

TERMS CASH on day of sale.

Sales will continue during the month of August, and will be advertised in this column as soon as dates are fixed.

SALES of property named above will be held at the times and places named below, viz:

At CHARLOTTE, on Tuesday and Wednesday, August 1st and 2d, under the direction of Capt. Dan'l. H. Day, Ch. Q. M. 23d Army Corps.

At LEXINGTON, on Friday, August 4th, under the direction of Capt. D. W. H. DAY, Ch. Q. M. 23d Army Corps.

At FAYETTEVILLE, on Friday, August 4th, under the direction of Capt. A. M. GAROUTTE, A. Q. M.

At MOREHEAD CITY, on Monday, July 31st, 1865, under the direction of Capt. W. H. RANSOM, A. Q. M.

Sale to commence at 10 o'clock, a. m.

J. F. BOYD,
jy 24-tr Col. & Chief Q. M., Dep't of N. C.

HARDWARE
AND
Agricultural Implements.

PLOUGHS, CULTIVATORS, CORN PLANTERS, Hay and Manure Forks,
Hoes and Rakes, Reynolds and Scythes,
Axes, Shovels (Iron and Steel handle,)
Trowels and Handles, Carpenter's Tools,
Augers and Hammers,
Files, Sharpers and Stones,
Spring Vises, Coffee Mills, Fountain Kettles,
Belts, (all sizes,) Canvas Canoe, &c., &c.,
For sale, at wholesale and retail by
HILLMAN & CO.,
Agents for manufacturers, and Dealers in Hardware,
jy 24-1m Fayetteville Street, Raleigh, N. C.



TERMS.

SUBSCRIPTION.

Daily, 1 Month..... $1 00
Weekly, 1 Year..... 3 00
" 6 Months.... 1 50

Papers will be discontinued at the time of the subscription expires, and the paper will not be sent after that time unless subscribed for.

NEWSBOYS AND NEWS DEALERS

Will be furnished at the rate of $5 per hundred copies. All orders must be accompanied by the money.

ADVERTISING RATES.

Advertisements, measuring not more than ten lines solid minion, or space equivalent, will be inserted at the following rates:

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| 1 square, 1 day | $1 00 | 1 Week | $4 00 |
| " 2 days | 1 50 | 1 Month | 10 00 |
| " 3 " | 2 00 | 3 Months | 15 00 |
| " 4 " | 2 50 | 6 " | 20 00 |
| " 5 " | 3 00 | 9 " | 30 00 |
| " 1 Week | 4 00 | 1 Year | 50 00 |

Larger advertisements, where no contract is made, will be charged in exact proportion.

YEARLY CONTRACTS

Will be made in accordance with the following schedule

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| 1 square, | 1 Month | $20 00 | 1-4 col. | 6 Months | $160 00 |
| " | 2 " | 35 00 | 1-3 " | 9 " | 140 00 |
| " | 3 " | 60 00 | 1 " | 6 " | 150 00 |
| 1-4 " | 3 " | 50 00 | 1-4 " | 1 Year | 175 00 |
| 1-3 " | 3 " | 75 00 | 1-3 " | " | 200 00 |
| 1 " | 3 " | 100 00 | 1 " | 1 " | 300 00 |

Only those who contract for one-fourth, one-half, or a column, for one, three, six, or twelve months, will receive the rates of these terms.

Occasional Advertisers must pay by the month, and all notices be marked.

All advertisements must be marked a specified time, or they will be continued until forbid. "Until forbid."

Advertisements inserted once, twice or three times a week will be charged One Dollar a square for every insertion.

OUR CIRCULATION

Is larger in the city and throughout the State than any other paper in North Carolina. The *Progress* is read in the camps and among the people by a much larger number of persons than any other paper, and hence its importance as an advertising medium should not be overlooked by business men.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Special Notices will be set in minion, leaded, and inserted under the *Special Notices* head, and One Dollar a Square charged for every insertion.

LOCAL COLUMN.

Only short notices will be admitted to the Local Column, at the following rates:

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| One Line, One Day | $1 00 | Three Lines, One Day | $2 00 |
| Two Lines, " | 1 50 | Five Lines, " | 2 50 |

Ten Lines, or more, at the rate of Twenty-five Cents a Line for each insertion.

FUNERAL NOTICES, MARRIAGES, &c.

Will be charged same as Advertisements, and must be paid for when handed in, or they will not appear.

The above Rates will be adhered to in all cases, and as we have to pay cash for everything in our business, we must demand cash.

June, 26, 1865. J. L. PENNINGTON & CO.

TO SUBSCRIBERS AND ADVERTISERS.

We have to pay cash for paper, ink and labor, and we must have more cash from those for whom we work or we cannot pay our current expenses. We know there is but little money in circulation, but there are but few persons who want a newspaper that cannot spare the money to pay for it. Persons seeing their paper marked must remit the money or it will be stopped.

Advertisers must pay in advance for all transient matter, and business men who advertise regularly will be expected to pay their bills monthly.

Job Printing must be paid for when delivered.

J. L. P. & CO.



NEWS! NEWS!! NEWS!!
NEW YORK DAILIES
RECEIVED EVERY DAY BY EXPRESS;
—ALSO—
MAGAZINES
AND
All the Popular Periodical Literature of the Day at
THE RALEIGH NEWS AGENTS DEPOT
FAYETTEVILLE STREET,
I. EDWIN WEST.
jy 15-tf Agent.

THE VERY PLACE.

SEND YOUR FLOUR AND TOBACCO TO ENDfield, Halifax county, N. C. GEO. W. HEPTINSTALL will sell them for you on commission.

REFERENCES.—Branson & Farrar and S. H. Young, Raleigh, N. C. jy 24-10t

MACHINERY REPAIRED.

WE, THE UNDERSIGNED, PROPOSE TO REpair Steam Mills, Cotton Factory Machinery, and Machinery of all kinds, and do anything in the Millwright line. J. NUTALL & JACKSON.

REFER TO—A. Johnson, and Shaw, Williamson & Co.
jy 24-1m

EXTRAORDINARY ATTRACTION.

GOODS AT WHOLESALE AND RETAIL
CHEAPER THAN AT NEWBERN
OR ANY POINT
SOUTH OF BALTIMORE.

MR. L. H. KELLOGG, AT THE OLD STAND OF S. H. Young, on Fayetteville Street, Raleigh, N. C., respectfully announces to the public that he has

JUST RECEIVED

a large and well-selected assortment of Dry Goods, Ladies' Furnishing Goods, Boots and Shoes, Hats and Caps, &c. This stock was purchased in New York since the recent decline in prices, and is now offered at terms lower than goods of the same description can be purchased in Newbern or any point south of Baltimore.

Country Merchants and others supplied at wholesale.
jy 18-1m

REMOVAL!
Peace and Liberty Eating Saloon
REMOVED TO THE
OLD POST OFFICE,
FAYETTEVILLE STREET.
ROSS & McGOWAN, Proprietors.

THIS WELL KNOWN AND POPULAR ESTABlishment has been removed to the old Post Office stand, Fayetteville Street, next to the market, where Meals are furnished from 6 o'clock in the morning until 9 o'clock at night. There being a fine

BAR ROOM

attached, customers will be able to get the best Wines and Liquors to be found in the City.

Ice Cream, Fruits, Melons, &c., in abundance at all times.

Give us a call and we will guarantee satisfaction.
jy 24-1w* ROSS & McGOWAN.

# DAILY PROGRESS.

RALEIGH, N. C.

MONDAY, JULY 31, 1865.


### The State Convention--To the Loyal Voters of Wake County.

The name of the Editor of the *Progress* having been recommended for the State Convention by a large number of the voters of the County of Wake, the original secessionists, the disunionists and a few pretended Unionists have been industriously engaged in traducing and libeling him.

First, it was whispered about, (no one has ever dared make the charge openly,) that we were in favor of negro suffrage. This we publicly, in our paper and on the stump, pronounced false, and the author or authors calumniators and scoundrels. No one plead guilty, and no reply was made, but we can hear occasionally of the creatures continuing to crawl on their bellies scattering their slime and emitting their poison as they go They are harmless, however, as far as we are concerned; and we know of no one so debased as likely to be injured by them.

Secondly, the libel about negro suffrage not taking well, our enemies began to whisper about that we were the bitter, unrelenting enemy of Gov. HOLDEN. This was so ridiculous that we did not notice it, for every loyal man in the county of Wake knows that if ever Gov. HOLDEN had a true, efficient, and constant friend we have been that man. We defended and supported him when others, upon whom he had stronger claims, gave way and deserted him; we shared his perils when the mob, set on by the minions of Davis and Vance, sought his life; and we mean to stand by him hereafter, as long as he adheres to those principles which have served as a common guide for him and ourself for years past. We were his friend as a member of the Charlotte Convention, in 1858, when the half-breed aristocracy swindled him out of the nomination for governor, and we have been his friend ever since, and he who asserts that we have been otherwise states that which is untrue.

Thirdly and lastly, the original secessionists in the city of Raleigh and throughout the county, finding their other falsehoods fell harmless at our feet, are now engaged in trying to create the impression that we were a secessionist and advocated war in 1860. This is infamously false and so known to be by those who are circulating it.

Once for all we say to these our libellers and persecutors that we shall be a candidate for the Convention, provided we are not set aside by a properly constituted county convention, in which all the districts shall be fairly represented, and if the secessionists or pretended Unionists want to get up a disloyal ticket, and want a heated canvass of the county, much as we are opposed to calling the people from their homes and work to hear political discussions, we are ready to sift records and not afraid to denounce the enemies of the government, and if the gentlemen want the contest they can have it.—When those who now charge us with being an original secessionist were supporting Breckinridge with the purpose of disrupting the Union and bringing on a war with the people of the North we were trying to save the country from the horrors of war, and to preserve the Union, by supporting that great statesman and pure patriot, STEPHEN A. DOUGLAS, for the Presidency. The *Daily Progress* was the only paper in North Carolina that did support JUDGE DOUGLAS, if we except one or two campaign publications; and though our course was taken at a heavy pecuniary sacrifice we kept what we conceived to be the line of duty, supported the Union ticket and denounced secession and treason. It is well known to these slanderers that we voted for DOUGLAS and the Union, and that we canvassed for DOUGLAS and the Union. Just before the Presidential election in 1860, we made a Union speech in the court-house in Raleigh, before the Douglas club, in which we took the bold and high ground that if the question was presented as between Union and slavery, we were for Union; believing that it would be better for the people of the South to surrender their slave property than to subject themselves to the horrors and ruin that secession and war would certainly bring on. We did all in our power to defeat the purposes of the disunionists, and we tried to defeat Mr. LINCOLN by the election of Mr. DOUGLAS, but when the result was announced we declared, publicly, that Mr. LINCOLN was elected according to the forms of the constitution, and that so far from rebelling at the result, if given our choice we should prefer him to BUCHANAN. We opposed secession before and after the election of 1860—we did all we could to prevent the war in the first place, and failing in this, as soon as the first fury of the storm had subsided, and freemen could speak at all, we commenced the agitation of the question of peace, reconciliation and reconstruction, and never ceased to plead for it until the tragedy was closed by subjugation. In July, 1863, we wrote and published in the city of Raleigh, the first unconditional demand for peace, upon the best terms we could get, ever made in North Carolina or the so-called Confederate States; and from that day to the final collapse, in defiance of enrolling officers, secret detectives and courts of star chamber, we continued to war upon the Raleigh and Richmond usurpations, and to demand such peace as the national government might be pleased to give us. All this is well known to our slanderers, but their object is to destroy us, and they will not hesitate at the means to be employed.

But it is not for any sympathy with secession, in 1860 or at any other time that these traitors hate us; it is because we are the defenders and supporters of ANDREW JOHNSON, President of the United States, and W. W. HOLDEN, Provisional Governor of North Carolina. We are despised because we are the friend of the government and stand by and support those in authority, civil and military. These traitors are content to make war upon us now, but soon, if allowed to go on, they will assail the Governor and the President, and finally openly denounce the government.—There are men in the county of Wake that aspire to seats in the Convention, who have since the occupation of this city, denounced the Union officers and soldiers doing duty among us as thieves and scoundrels, and the Federal government as a worse tyranny than that of Davis.—While records have been ventilating we have not been idle, and if these men shall go to the people as self nominated candidates for the Convention, these charges will come up in substantiated form.

Some of these secessionists and traitors are busily engaged, we learn, in circulating the defunct concern of court-house square, to prove that we were an original secessionist in 1860.—We have sufficiently answered that above, but we may have something to say about the author of the "sketches," should there be a canvass of the county, in which we may give some "sketches" of his personal history, not of the past so much as the present, and if need be present living illustrations to prove his ideas of the homogeniousness of things generally. It is well known, and the libellous author of the "sketches" was not ignorant of the fact, that for ten or twelve months previous to the fall of Newbern, which occurred about the middle of March, 1862, we did not conduct the *Daily Progress* at all: but all this will come up at the proper time.

Our only object is at present to warn our loyal friends in the country against the infamous falsehoods of secessionists and traitors. We do not think that there will be any county convention to nominate candidates for the Convention, the action taken by the people being generally deemed sufficient, but should there be a fairly constituted convention and we are nominated, we shall accept; and if there be no convention, we shall be a candidate anyhow: and we shall be prepared to meet all issues, dispose of all charges and refute all libels that traitors and secessionists may bring against us.

The reason of the violent opposition to us is mainly on account of our staunch support of Gov. HOLDEN and the national administration, and they think if they can succeed in killing off the political friends of the Governor they can then organize their treasonable forces and defeat him; thus restoring the traitorous enemies of the government to power in North Carolina. We defied the infamous conspirators, last summer, and we defy them now.

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### War Department,

BUREAU OF REFUGEES, FREEDMEN AND ABANDONED LANDS,
Washington, July 12, 1865.

CIRCULAR, No. 11.

*Instructions to Assistant Commissioners and other Officers.*

Each Assistant Commissioner will be careful, in the establishment of sub-districts, to have the office of his agent at some point easy of access for the people of the sub district.

He will have at least one agent, either a citizen, military officer, or enlisted man, in each sub-district. This agent must be thoroughly instructed in his duties. He will be furnished with the proper blanks for contracts, and will institute methods adequate to meet the wants of his district in accordance with the rules of this Bureau. No fixed rates of wages will be prescribed for a district, but in order to regulate fair wages in given individual cases, the agent should have in mind minimum rates for his own guidance. By careful inquiry as to the hire of an able-bodied man when the pay went to the master, he will have an approximate test of the value of labor. He must of course consider the entire change of circumstances, and be sure that the laborer has due protection against avarice and extortion. Wages had better be secured by a lien on the crops or land. Employers are desired to enter into written agreements with employees, setting forth stated wages, or securing an interest in the land or crop, or both. All such agreements will be approved by the nearest agent, and a duplicate filed in his office. In case there should be no agent within reach, the nearest postmaster will forward the duplicate of contracts direct to the Assistant Commissioner for the State.

Attention is specially called to section 4 of the law establishing the Bureau with regard to getting apart land to "every male citizen whether refugee or freedman," &c., and the same arrangement is recommended, when it can be effected, between private parties. Already many farmers have rented lands to freedmen and refugees. This course is a recognition of the general principle in the law.

In order to enforce the fulfilment of contracts on both contracting parties, the Commissioner of the Bureau lays down no general rule—the Assistant Commissioner must use the privileges and authority he already has. Provost courts, military commissions, local courts, when the freedmen and refugees have equal rights with other people, are open to his use. In the great majority of cases his own arbitrament, or that of his agent, or the settlement by referees, will be sufficient.

No Assistant Commissioner, or agent, is authorized to tolerate compulsory unpaid labor, except for the legal punishment of crime. Suffering may result to some extent, but suffering is preferred to slavery, and is to some degree the necessary consequence of events.

In all actions the officer should never forget that no substitute for slavery, "like apprenticeship without proper consent, or, peonage, (i. e., either holding the people by debt, or confining them, without consent, to the land by any system,) will be tolerated.

The Assistant Commissioner will designate one or more of his agents to act as the general superintendent of schools (one for each State) for refugees and freedmen. This officer will work as much as possible in conjunction with State officers who may have school matters in charge. If a general system can be adopted for a State, it is well; but if not, he will at least take cognizance of all that is being done to educate refugees and freedmen, secure proper protection to schools and teachers, promote method and efficiency, correspond with the benevolent agencies which are supplying his field, and aid the Assistant Commissioner in making his required reports.

Surgeon C. W. HORNER, Chief Medical Officer of the Bureau, will have the general supervision of medical matters connected with refugees and freedmen.

The Assistant Commissioners will instruct their medical officers as they have instructed other officers, to make the medical department self-supporting as far as possible.

All public addresses of a character calculated to create discontent are reprehensible; but the Assistant Commissioner and his agents must explain, by constant recapitulation, the principles, laws, and regulations of this Bureau, to all parties concerned It is recommended to the Assistant Commissioners to draw up in writing a careful summary to be publicly and privately read by agents throughout their respective districts.

O. O. HOWARD,
Major General, Commissioner.

## THE NEWS.

—The whole of the ninth corps has been mustered out.

—Gen. B. Hall and Thos. M. Hagerman have been appointed postal Route Agents between Richmond Va. and Greensboro, N. C.

—Wm. M. McChesney has been appointed collector of customs, at Washington, N. C.

—The rebel General Dick Taylor arrived in Washington on the 26th, it is understood, for the purpose of advancing his claims for pardon by the President.

—Jeff Davis' health is bad. He is allowed open air exercise every day.

—Provisional Governor Lewis E. Parsons, of Alabama, has issued his proclamation announcing the inauguration of measures for the restoration of civil government in that State. The 31st of August is the day appointed for the election of delegates to the State Convention, which is to assemble on the 10th of September. The greater portion of the county and town officers who under the rebel *regime*, were officiating on the 22nd of May last, when rebel authority ceased, are reappointed to the positions, which they are to hold during the continuance of the provisional government; but they are all required to take the oath of allegiance to the national government and to give new bonds for the performance of their duties. The Governor comments on the present condition of the South and the ruin and suffering which the war has caused, but informs the people that notwithstanding they have to-day political rights which they possessed before the war, excepting the right to hold slaves; and slavery, he tells them, is irrecoverably gone and it is the part of wisdom to make the best they can of the new order of things.

—His Excellency James Johnson, Provisional Governor of Georgia, has also issued his proclamation calling a State Convention and appointing a day for electing delegates thereto. The election is to be held on the 4th of October, and the convention will assemble in Milledgeville on the 25th of the same month. The citizens are reminded that in order to be entitled to vote or to become candidates for election to the convention they must previously subscribe to the oath of allegiance to the national government; and this they are earnestly advised to do. They are also informed that slavery is extinct, and that therefore no person in the State can hereafter control the labor of another, excepting so far as he may be legally entitled to do so by the terms of contract voluntarily entered into by the laborer. The administration of civil law, to a great extent, is to remain in abeyance till a State government shall have been chosen; but in the meantime order will be preserved, if necessary, by the military.

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We are reminded that in our funeral notice of the defunct *Daily Record*, we omitted to mention that the publication was to be continued as a semi-weekly concern. The omission was purely accidental, but we suppose it will not damage the establishment much. It will be *weak* enough for the most delicately constituted. A copy right was secured for the "sketches," but as the attention of the author has been [illegible] has been withdrawn for the present.—We shall have more to say on that head when the series shall be resumed. For the present we will not break the the truce inaugurated by the assailing party.

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The Rockingham (Va.) *Register* publishes an account of the execution of two late confedrate soldiers, Capt. G. W. Summers and Sergeant Isaac N. Koontz, of the 7th Virginia Cavalry. It appears that while the Union soldiers who had Governor Letcher, of Virginia in charge, were conveying him to Washington, these two men, aided by others, made an attack upon the gaurd in Shenandoah county. They only succeeded in securing some half a dozen horses. The names of Summers and Koontz who had belonged to Rosser's cavalry were ascertained; they were arrested and ordered for execution. Efforts were made by Colonel Butterfield, in command of the Union forces, to prevent the execution, but to no avail. The paper adds that "the bodies of the young men were given to their friends for burial, and that the affair has caused an intense feeling of sadness where the facts are known."


## NORTH CAROLINA RAILROAD.

*DEPARTURE AND ARRIVAL OF TRAINS.*

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| Mail Train leaves Raleigh | 12 o'clk at night. | |
| Arrives at Greensboro' | 8,40 " | A. M. |
| " " Salisbury | 1,52 " | P. M. |
| " " Charlotte | 5,20 " | " |
| Freight Train leaves Raleigh | 1,10 o'clk | P. M. |
| Arrives at Shops | 7 " | " |
| Freight Train lays over at the Shops. | | |
| Mail Train leaves Charlotte | 7 o'clk | A. M. |
| Arrives at Salisbury | 10,50 " | " |
| " " Greensboro' | 3,40 " | P. M. |
| " " Raleigh | 11,55 " | " |
| Freight Train leaves Charlotte | 6 o'clk | P. M. |
| Arrives at Salisbury | 9,55 " | " |
| " " Greensboro' | 2,45 " | A. M. |
| " " Raleigh | 11 " | " |

jy 29 tf — E. WILKES, Engineer and Sup't.

### NOTICE.

FARMERS, OR ANY OTHER PARTIES, HAVING Cotton for sale are invited to call on the subscriber before disposing of the same. It might result for their interest by so doing. W. H CROW,
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SUGGATT & Co.,
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Rags! Rags!!—Two cents a pound will be paid for clean Cotton and Linen Rags, in large or small quantities, at the PROGRESS OFFICE.

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jys 14 3m

Headquarters Post of Raleigh,
July 26th 1865.

GENERAL ORDER, No. 20.

I. MERCHANTS, SUTLERS, AND OTHERS ARE hereby strictly prohibited from selling any Spirituous Liquors to any person whether officer, soldier or civilian.

II. All persons having any such Liquors in their possession will immediately close their Bar Rooms.

III. Those who now have Intoxicating Liquor in their possession will immediately report the fact to the Provost Marshal, who will enter on his books their names and places of business.

IV. No enlisted man will be allowed about their premises. No enlisted man will be allowed to remain in any place of this kind after dark.

V. There will be no place of business allowed to be kept open on Sunday, except drug stores.

Any one violating this order will be arrested and tried by Military Court.

By order of Lt. Col. J. M. McDonald Comd'g Post.
GEO. E. AVERY,
july 26-1w — Capt. 3d N. Y. & Post Adj't.

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This work was done and the material prepared for a large, fine building, and nothing but flooring, weatherboarding, shingles and lathes and lime are wanting to finish it—all the rest being on the ground.

The property may be seen, with a drawing of the building, and terms ascertained by calling on or addressing
jy 26-1m — EDITOR PROGRESS.

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### POSTPONEMENT.

THE MEETING OF THE STOCKHOLDERS OF the Wilmington & Weldon Railroad Company, advertised to be held in this place on the 26th instant, is postponed until Tuesday, 1st of August.

K. D. WALLACE, President.
Wilmington, July 24, 1865.—td

BOARDS AND BOARDING HOUSES.

## SPOTSWOOD HOTEL,

CORNER OF 9th AND MAIN STS.,

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THE PROPRIETORS TAKE PLEASURE IN making known to the public, through the press, that every restriction in regard to persons belonging to the Confederate service, from stopping at this House has been removed.

The Proprietors will be pleased to welcome all their old friends and patrons, and having renovated and refurnished the entire house, assure the public that the accommodations are second to none found in any First Class Hotel North or South.

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Raleigh N. C., June 20, 1865—3m.

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J. B. VAN DYKE,
May 24-tf — Superintendent.

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APPLICATIONS FROM MANY INVALIDS induces us to open our House on 1st August for the accommodation of a few of our old friends and former patrons.

The spring is now in good running order, notwithstanding parties have been busily engaged circulating reports to the contrary.

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Treasury Department,
6TH SPECIAL AGENCY,
Newbern, N. C., July 17th, 1865.

IN CONSEQUENCE OF THE ILLNESS OF CHAS H. Woods, Esq., H. C. Clark, Esq., is fully authorized to act in his stead in the collection, securing and forwarding of captured and abandoned property at Raleigh, North Carolina.

The military authorities are respectfully requested to give such assistance as may be in their power.

D. HEATON,
jy 21-1w — Supervising Special Ag't Treas. Dep't.


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